

## Message Text

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DRAFTED BY REVISED TEXT REC'D FROM WHITE HOUSE

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS:PDEV, SP, US

SUBJECT:NATIONAL DAY MESSAGE

1. PLEASE DELIVER FOLLOWING TO GENERAL FRANCO ON OR  
BEFORE JULY 18. QUOTE DEAR GENERALISSIMO: THE AMERICAN  
PEOPLE JOIN ME IN EXTENDING CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST  
WISHES TO YOU AND THE SPANISH PEOPLE ON THE CELEBRATION  
OF SPAIN'S NATIONAL DAY. I AM CONFIDENT THE LONG  
TRADITION OF FRIENDSHIP AND COOPERATION WHICH HAS  
CHARACTERIZED THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES  
IN THE PAST WILL ENDURE AND GROW IN THE YEARS AHEAD.  
SINCERELY, GERALD R. FORD UNQUOTE

2. WHITE HOUSE DOES NOT PLAN RELEASE BUT HAS NO

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